



PATENT APPLICATION
MP1711-US3

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of) Group Art Unit: 2835
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WALSH ET AL.) Examiner: Anatoly Vortman
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Application No. 10/716,315) TYCO ELECTRONICS CORPORATION
) 307 Constitution Drive
Filed: November 17, 2003) Menlo Park, CA 94025
)
For: ELECTRICAL DEVICE) January 13, 2005

REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION
and
DISCLOSURE STATEMENT UNDER 37 CFR § 1.56

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Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Sir:

This application has been allowed on October 15, 2004, with allowed claims 16 to 20. The issue fee is not being paid and a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) is being filed in order to bring art to the attention of the Examiner. Please charge any necessary fees to Deposit Account No. 18-0560. Any deficiency or overpayment should be charged or credited to this deposit account. Reconsideration, re-examination, and allowance are respectfully requested in view of the Amendments and Remarks below.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2. Remarks begin on page 4.

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING UNDER 37 CFR §1.8

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